



## **Austin City Council MINUTES**

**For** SPECIAL CALLED MEETING - SEPTEMBER 11., 1985 - 6:00 P.M.

Council Chambers, 307 West Secord Street, Austin, Texas

### **City Council**

**Frank C. Cooksey**  
Mayor

**John Treviño, Jr.**  
Mayor Pro Tem

**Council Members**  
**Mark Rose**  
**Smoot Carl-Mitchell**  
**Sally Shipman**  
**George Humphrey**  
**Charles E. Urdy**

**Jorge Carrasco**  
City Manager

**Elden Aldridge**  
City Clerk

### **Memorandum To:**

Mayor Cooksey called to order the special called meeting of the Council, noting the absence of Councilmembers Rose and Urdy. Mayor Cooksey announced the purpose of the meeting is to hold public hearings on the following:

- 6:00 - Proposed Financial Plan and Fees
- 6:15 - Proposed General Revenue Sharing
- 6:30 - Proposed Capital Improvements Program

Bill Oakey said to hold down costs

Lee Cooke supports the budget in general.

Charlie Hem, AFSCME, discussed the proposed pay raise and said he supports the City Manager's proposed tax increase.

George Bray discussed money allotted for parking area at Sr. Activity Center. O.B. Conley also discussed the Center.

Glen Scott, AFSCME, asked for a 5% pay raise.

Alfred Maldonado supports request for increase in sex crimes unit of Police Department. Rosemary Kaufman said 14 more detectives are needed in the unit.

Ken Seuer discussed the tennis program. Bo Byer opposes changes in tennis program. He said the pro's cannot make an adequate living. Linda Hudson also discussed the pro's and how they should receive more money.

Blake Mitchell, Austin Community Gardens, talked about the social services.

Gary Michael supports City tennis centers.

Alfred Stanley, Sierra Club, talked about parkland. Della Green talked about wastewater. Jack Goodman wants parks bonds on ballot.

John Shipwood, Hancock Rec Center wants two full time employees at the center. Glenna Balch, United South Austin, discussed the recreation center there. Al Dotson also said part-time employees are needed at the activity centers.

James Pinedo, United South Austin, wants parks bonds on the ballot.

ADJOURNMENT

Council adjourned its meeting at 9:45 p.m.